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SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Substance of the Interview of August 27, 2010:

The differences between the claimed invention and the prior art were discussed. Applicants' attorney emphasized the differences between the claimed absorption by the ink layer of the hardening resin to form a united layer via physical absorption as distinguished from the UV absorption or deflection in Atake.

The Examiner noted the Atake translation provided by applicants did not include a translation of paragraph [0014].

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However, translations of the relevant portions of the paragraph are provided at pages 11 and 12 of the July 23, 2010 amendment.

It was agreed that the claim 44 recitation of ink pigment further restricted claim 41.

Respectfully submitted,

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